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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 17, 2008, having a shortened statutory period for reply that was set to expire on April 17, 2008, which period has been extended 3 months to expire on July 17, 2008, by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, Applicants hereby submit the following Amendment with the accompanying Remarks. Please charge the \$1050 fee for the 3 month extension, and any other fees that may be due, to Deposit Account No. 07-0832.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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